

PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In the Application of:

ANTHONY JOHN KINNEY  
GARY MICHAEL FADER

CASE NO.: BB1071 US DIV3

APPLICATION NO.: UNKNOWN

GROUP ART UNIT: UNKNOWN

FILED: HEREWITH

EXAMINER: UNKNOWN

FOR: SUPPRESSION OF SPECIFIC  
CLASSES OF SOYBEAN SEED  
PROTEIN GENES

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This is submitted prior to examination on the merits in order to facilitate prosecution of the above-identified application.